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E.O. 11652: DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT

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SUBJECT: BUKAVU MEETING ON ANGOLAN UNITY

REF: KINSHASA 6577 NOTAL

1. ON RETURN FROM JULY 26-28 BUKAVU SUMMIT MEETING, ZAMBIAN FOREIGN MINISTER MWAANGA REPORTEDLY TOLD PRESS PARTICIPANTS DID NOT ACHIEVE AS MUCH AS EXPECTED BUT MAIN OBJECTIVE OF BRINGING ANGOLAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS TOGETHER ATTAINED. AGREEMENT TO FORM COMMON FRONT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MPLA CONGRESS (DATE UNSPECIFIED) SAID TO HAVE BEEN SIGNED BY NETO, CHIPENDA AND ROBERTO. ACCORDING TO PRESS, EAST AND CENTRAL AFRICAN HEADS OF STATE MEETING IN BRAZZAVILLE IN AUGUST WILL CONCERN ITSELF WITH "FURTHER ANGOLAN UNITY TALKS."

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2. MWAANGA ALSO QUOTED AS STATING FAILURE OF ANGOLAN

MOVEMENTS TO IMPLEMENT BUKAVU AGREEMENT WOULD DEFEAT OAU OBJECTIVES. ZAMBIA FOR ITS PART HAD DUTY TO LIBERATE AFRICA AND IF PORTUGAL DOES NOT HONOR ITS PROMISES, ZAMBIAN HELP TO LIBERATION MOVEMENTS WOULD CONTINUE.

3. MEDIA REPORTED IT ONLY AFTER BEING PERSUADED BY KAUNDA AND NYERERE DID MOBUTU AGREE TO NETO PARTICIPATION IN BUKAVU MEETING. "CONFERENCE SOURCES" SAID NETO UNDER HEAVY FIRE FOR GLOBE-TROTTERING AND NEGLECTING ANGOLA INDEPENDENCE STRUGGLE.

4. THERE NOTABLE ABSENCE OF ANY REFERENCE TO UNITA.
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